STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

IN THE MATTER OF HURRICANE KATRINA AND ITS AFTERMATH **AGENCY INTEREST NO. 130534**

NINTH EXTENSION AND REISSUANCE OF SIXTEENTH AMENDED DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY AND ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Pursuant to the authority granted to me by Louisiana Revised Statutes 30:2001 et seq., and particularly La. R.S. 30:2033 and 2011(D)(6), I hereby find that the emergency conditions set forth in the "Sixteenth Amended Declaration of Emergency and Administrative Order" regarding Hurricane Katrina and its aftermath continue to exist, and I hereby extend and reissue said declaration of emergency and administrative order, effective January 1, 2013 through 11:59 p.m. on June 30, 2013.

DONE AND ORDERED on this <u>11</u> day of January, 2013, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

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Peggy M. Hatch Secretary